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To whom it may concern:

On December 21, 2006, Governor Granholm signed legislation to promote competition in providing video service in the state of Michigan. This legislation is known as Public Act 480 of 2006, MCL 484.3301 et seq, the "Uniform Video Services Local Franchise Act." The Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC) is the agency designated to implement the Act. This letter is being sent to all current video service providers who have customers within the state of Michigan. Since your Company provides video service in this state, you are subject to the provisions of Section 9(4) and 12 (2) of the Uniform Video Services Local Franchise Act.

As you know, Section 9 (4) of the Act states:

Each provider shall file an annual report with the franchising entity and the commission regarding the progress that has been made toward compliance with subsections (2) and (3).

Also, Section 12 (2) of the Act states:

The commission shall file a report with the governor and legislature by February 1 of each year that shall include information on the status of competition for video services in this state and recommendations for any needed legislation. A video service provider shall submit to the commission any information requested by the commission necessary for the preparation of the annual report required under this subsection. The obligation of a video service provider under this subsection is limited to the submission of information generated or gathered in the normal course of business.

To assist the MPSC staff in preparing the report for the Governor and Legislature, I have enclosed a survey for you to complete and return to the Commission. Please submit the survey to this office by **December 31, 2007**. Also, please provide your company's annual report, in regards to Section 9 (4) of the Act, to **both** the Commission and the Franchise Entity. Please have your company's annual report provided to the Commission by **December 31, 2007**. In the future, staff plans to request this information by December 1 of each year.

Your cooperation in submitting the survey and report to this office will be greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Ryan McAnany of my staff at (517) 241-6139 or mcananyr@michigan.gov.

Very truly yours,

Robin Ancona, Acting Director
Telecommunications Division

Enc. (MPSC Annual Report Survey)

MPSC Annual Report Survey for 2007

(For Cable/Video Providers)

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Person _____

Direct Phone: _____

Direct E-mail: _____

****If you consider any of the following information confidential, please indicate so. Also, if you need additional space for your responses, please attach additional pages.***

MPSC Annual Report Survey Questions

1. Total number of video subscribers serviced in 2007. *(Please indicate the date that the data was reported, and also provide an estimate number for year end 12/31/07).*

2. Since PA 480 has become effective (1/1/07), what has been the impact on your number of subscribers? Has the number grown?

3. Is there a competitor in your footprint area now that PA 480 has become effective? If so, how many?

4. How many franchise agreements (in Michigan) does your company have? How many of those franchise agreements are now the new Uniform Video Service Local Franchise Agreements?

5. Were you an incumbent provider prior to PA 480 taking effect on 1/1/07?

6. Did your company become a cable/video provider in the state of Michigan in 2007 as a result of PA 480?

7. Have there been any informal or formal disputes regarding your Uniform Video Service Local Franchise Agreements that have been filed with franchise entities? If so, please explain.

8. Do you have any recommendations / suggestions for changing PA 480 in order to improve the efficiency of implementation?

Please provide your annual report, as required in Section 9 (4) of the Act. The Section 9 (4) Annual Report is to be sent to **both** the franchise entity and the Commission. The answers to the MPSC Annual Report Survey Questions are to be sent just to the Commission.

I certify that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

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